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By ECF and Email

The Honorable Brian M. Cogan
United States District Judge
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

RE: U.S.A. v. Frantz Simeon, 21-CR-479 (BMC)

Your Honor:

I write to request an adjournment of the sentencing in the above-captioned matter, scheduled for January 9, 2024, at 4:30 p.m. Undersigned counsel is on jury duty in the Southern District of New York. Last week I advised Chambers and the Government of the possibility that my duty would extend to January 9, 2024.

Since it has become necessary for me to return to jury duty on January 9, 2024, I must respectfully request a short adjournment of this sentencing.

Thank You for Your attention to and consideration in this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,



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